Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 26 May 2024 until 23:59 on Monday 27 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 25 May 2024 at 12:07

Confidence: High for the overall picture on Sunday and Monday. Lower for timing of rain on Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 26 May 2024: Early rain breaking to showers, heavy and thundery at times.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 26 May 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
High Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
		FOG					FOG
Light rain	Heavy Rain	Fog	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Thundery showers	Thundery showers	Fog
Precipitation probability							
70%	90%	80%	70%	40%	40%	40%	60%

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Weather: Rain, heavy at times, across the Park through the early hours and first thing in the morning. This breaking up into sunny spells but with scattered heavy showers, these occasionally thundery with a risk of hail. Showers perhaps banding together into longer spells of rain in the evening, with some lower cloud developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% at first, becoming 70% during the morning, then 30% in the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Widespread cloud at first with bases down to 400-600m and visibility often poor to very poor in rain and low cloud. Cloud lifting and breaking during the morning, with areas of cloud base 700-900m, but temporarily lower in heavy showers. Visibility generally good, but poor in showers and very poor in low cloud. Areas of cloud with base 500-600m developing in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	14/17 SE	17/21 SE	17/21 SE	13/18 S	14/20 SW	17/25 SW	17/24 SW	17/22 SW	17/23 W
600	9/12 S	11/15 SE	11/15 SE	11/16 S	14/20 SW	14/22 SW	14/21 SW	12/18 SW	13/18 W
300	4/9 S	7/14 SE	7/14 SE	8/14 SE	10/18 SW	11/19 SW	11/19 SW	9/16 SW	9/16 W
Valley	4/10 S	7/14 SE	7/14 SE	8/14 SE	9/15 W	9/17 SW	9/16 SW	9/16 SW	10/17 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/3	5/1	6/2	7/4	8/4	8/4	7/2	6/1	6/1
600	9/6	8/5	8/5	9/7	10/7	10/7	9/5	8/4	8/4
300	10/10	10/8	10/8	11/10	12/10	12/10	11/9	10/8	9/7
Valley	11/11	11/10	11/10	12/11	14/12	14/12	13/11	11/10	11/9
Freezing Level*	1800m	1900m	2000m	2000m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A mixed day of weather, with layers required, including waterproofs. In between the thundery showers moderate UV levels are possible so sun protection is advisable, but still feeling chilly on the higher summits. Sudden gusts of wind are possible in association with the showers.

Forecast for Monday 27 May 2024

Weather: Showers mostly easing overnight with clear spells developing. Showers developing alongside some sunny spells during the morning, but these significantly lighter than on Sunday and tending to ease during the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Westerly or southwesterly 15-20 mph, gusting 25-30 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% during the early hours, becoming near 100% by mid-morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud base 500-600m at first, lifting by mid-morning above the hilltops. Visibility mostly good, but moderate in showers and very poor in low cloud.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5C becoming plus 16C.
At 800m: Plus 6C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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